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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Chester L. Struble

) Docket: P-9440.00

Serial No.: 09/842,148

) Group Art: 3762

Filed: April 26, 2001

) Examiner: Kennedy

) Schaetzle

Title: Drug Delivery for Treatment of
Cardiac Arrhythmia

REQUEST FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby requests a one-month extension of time to respond to the Advisory Action, from March 23, 2004 to April 23, 2004.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the extension fee of \$110.00, as well as any deficiencies, and credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 13-2546.

Respectfully submitted,

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